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#### Top Skills

Social Media

Sponsorship

**Sports** 

#### Languages

Spanish (Professional Working)

#### Certifications

Personal Trainer

# Alex Carbajal

Bachelor of Arts at California State University-Chico

Dallas, Texas, United States

## Summary

Experienced Licenses Acquisition Manager with a demonstrated history of working in the sports industry. Skilled in contract negotiation and administration, licensing industry, professional and college sports management, cross functional team collaboration and communcations. Strong business development professional with a Bachelor of Science (BS) focused in Kinesiology and Exercise Science from California State University-Chico.

# Experience

Fanatics, Inc.
Director Athlete Relations
April 2023 - Present (7 months)
Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex

Panini America 12 years 11 months

Sports Licenses Acquisitions Director March 2022 - April 2023 (1 year 2 months)

**United States** 

Sports Licenses Acquisitions Manager June 2010 - March 2022 (11 years 10 months)

Point person for athletes, and player agents to advise, collaborate, negotiate and manage athlete contract licensing deals

Strategic collaboration and planning for sports programs with crossfunctional teams regarding production costs, quality factors, schedules, and presentations

Work directly with cross-fuctional teams to develop annual purchasing budget and yearly product plan based on company's production needs

Manage global and local program launches, identify and track action items, and assign tasks to appropriate cross-functional teams

Collaborate on strategic solutions to evolving contractual obligations with internal and external partners

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Develop and maintain new creative projects initiated by subsidiaries for new innovative product introductions

Communicate rights and obligations to ensure the company has fulfilled agreements with leagues, athletes, celebrities, and vendors

Designed and integrated customized database to track outbound/inbound shipments of athletes, payments, and department budgets

Coordinate and manage events featuring athletes and celebrities

Supervise a team of associate managers and fulfilment associates in day to day operations and long term project management

#### UPPER DECK LTD

Athlete Relations Coordinator- NHL October 2007 - May 2010 (2 years 8 months)

Greater San Diego Area

Responsible for the acquisition and delivery of autographs for product releases Cultivated and maintained relationships between the company and agents, athletes, professional sports affiliates, and other personalities

Communicated with numerous stakeholders to problem solve and coordinate assignments to meet strict product deadlines

Collaborated with outside business partners including signing representatives, agents and/or athletes to coordinate signing sessions within specific deadlines Maintained and updated off-line databases for tracking signatures and contract performance

Performed purchase order releases for outbound signature shipments and processed daily shipments

Traveled on behalf of the company to acquire autographed content for collectibles and memorabilia product lines

California State University, Chico Assistant Baseball Coach 2006 - 2007 (1 year)

Chico, California Area

Researched and recruited potential players for organization
Researched and developed extensive scouting reports
Developed and managed all aspects of players training
Designed and implemented workout programs to enhance pitching
performance

Developed and maintained top ranked pitching staff

Chico Outlaws Baseball

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Assistant Baseball Coach 2006 - 2007 (1 year) Chico. California Area

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Lincoln Pro Baseball - Saltdogs Professional Baseball Player 2005 - 2006 (1 year)

Performed all duties required of a Professional Baseball Player
Succeeded at highly competitive professional baseball levels
Learned the value of teamwork and the importance of being a strong teammate

Developed leadership, communication, and social skills in a diverse population Motivated and positively encouraged teammates by being a strong leader Developed the necessary physical and mental skills to handle stressful situations

Boston Red Sox Professional Baseball Player 2003 - 2005 (2 years)

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Tampa Bay Rays Professional Baseball Player 2000 - 2003 (3 years)

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California State University, Chico Student Athlete August 1997 - May 2000 (2 years 10 months) Chico, California

NCAA athlete for CSU Chico men's baseball team. Helped lead the team to win the Division II National Championship in 1999.

## Education

California State University-Chico
Bachelor of Arts - BA, Kinesiology and Exercise Science · (1999 - 2005)

#### Contact

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#### Top Skills

Sports

Management

Sports Management

#### Certifications

Social and Behavioral Research Creating and Giving Business Presentations Graduate Research Assistants

# Kurtis Hawn

Manager - Licenses Acquisitions at Panini America Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex

# Summary

I am a recent graduate from Southern Methodist University with an interest in working within the world of sports. The appeal of sports marketing and social media has led to my development of skills in data collecting and trend detecting, understanding consumer behaviors, product sales, and the ability to communicate effectively with teammates and other employees about goals and possible ideas.

# Experience

Panini America 1 year 7 months

Manager - Licenses Acquisitions April 2023 - Present (7 months) Irving, Texas, United States

Assistant Acquisitions Manager April 2022 - Present (1 year 7 months) Irving, Texas, United States

Allen Americans Professional Hockey Club Executive Coordinator September 2021 - April 2022 (8 months) Allen Event Center

U90C Sports
Marketing Intern
January 2021 - May 2021 (5 months)
Plano, Texas, United States

Coordinated multiple social media content schedules while also collaborating with full-time staff for content creation. Also, I searched and reviewed for potential sponsorship opportunities.

Southern Methodist University

1 year 10 months

Resident Assistant

August 2019 - May 2021 (1 year 10 months)

Dallas, Texas

Through time prioritization and constant communication, I uphold the set standards of the university and Cockrell-McIntosh Commons, and I produce monthly planning for approximately 200 residents and staff.

Social Media Coordinator

January 2020 - May 2020 (5 months)

Dallas, Texas, United States

I continually update and inform the followers of the SMU Sport Management social media page about sport and student news around SMU's campus while also collecting data and corresponding to interactions.

Ham Orchards

Department Manager

May 2018 - May 2021 (3 years 1 month)

Terrell, Texas

I led peach sales and the production of ice cream while also analyzing daily sales data and managing in-store employees. I also acted as a social media and departmental manager the past two seasons.

Academy Sports + Outdoors

Seasonal Sales Associate

November 2020 - January 2021 (3 months)

Terrell, Texas, United States

Managed customer transactions and solved issues related to inventory and pricing across the entirety of the store.

Parks Sabers

Sales Associate

August 2019 - January 2021 (1 year 6 months)

Forney, Texas

I plan and assemble intricate movie replica items while also managing the transactions of the products at trade shows nationwide.

SMU Mustangs

Marketing Intern

August 2020 - December 2020 (5 months)

University Park, Texas, United States

# Education

Southern Methodist University

Master of Science - MS, Sport Management · (August 2021 - May 2022)

Southern Methodist University
Sports Management, Marketing · (2018 - 2021)